## ABSTRACT

A filter cartridge comprising a strip, long fiber non-woven fabric which comprises a thermoplastic fiber and in which at least a part of fiber intersections is adhered, which is wound around a perforated cylinder in a twill form, has made it possible to obtain a cylindrical filter cartridge which is excellent in a liquid-passing property, a filter life and a stability in a filtering accuracy. The thermoplastic fiber constituting the above long fiber non-woven fabric is particularly preferably a thermally adhesive composite fiber comprising a low melting point resin and a high melting point resin and having a melting point difference of 10°C or more between those of both resins.

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